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**MUSCLE DENERVATION** 

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# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, mailed on January 23, 2002. A copy of "Part 2 - Copy to Be Returned with Response" is enclosed with this response.

#### SURCHARGE

The required missing parts surcharge of \$65 is enclosed. A petition for a one-month extension of time, and the \$55 extension fee is enclosed.



## DECLARATION AND PETITION, POWER OF ATTORNEY, ASSIGNMENT

The required Declaration and Petition, identifying the application by serial number and filing date, is enclosed to satisfy the statutory requirement. A Power of Attorney from the Assignee is also enclosed.

An Assignment is also enclosed herewith for recordation, along with the Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet and a check for the \$40 recordation fee.

#### REMARKS

Please issue a corrected Filing Receipt showing receipt of the oath and payment of the appropriate fees.

Respectfully submitted

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#### **Enclosures**

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Power of Attorney

Declaration and Petition

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below. however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- o To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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